

Pioneer Families Hold Reunions

YES FAMILY GATHER

Thursday and Friday, August 6 and 7 were happy days for the Jimmie Hayes and wife. On these days their children as many as could come, grandchildren and great grandchildren met on the Leon river bridge for their annual reunion. Uncle Jimmie Hayes, as we all know, are the citizens of this section, having past their eightieth stone. The children with families present were:

Emma Manning of Gustine, two sons, John Manning and family of Oklahoma, Carl Manning and family of Bele County, Annie Cox with three of family of Comanche, Joe Marshall and family of Comanche, and Nannie McClure of Oklahoma, Bud Hayes and family with his married children as follows, Rollie Hayes and family, Arthur Hayes and family, Charlie Petterson and family, Hayes and wife with two daughters, Mrs. Maggie Ewing son of Dallas, and Mrs. Net Beard and son of Dublin, Mrs. Lester and children, Tom Mont and wife, Luke Perdue wife and grandson, Curtis Peterson, Mr. and Mrs. Will Cox children, Jim Tatum, wife and son, and Truman Smith of Carl and Bennie Seago and family Gustine, Newt Hayes and family including Geo. Mathews family, Thurman Talley and family, Oley Hayes and family, Min Hayes and family, Emmet Hayes and family including Albert Allen and wife, Jess Hayes and family of Mineral Wells. The children absent were Mrs. Pollie Cox of Energy but her daughter, Mrs. Frank Hamilton and two sons of California are present. Mrs. Cordia Daniel of San Saba was absent but her children were present. Mel Hayes and family of Carlton, Henry Donald and wife of Maxville, Mrs. Vick Neel of Mitchell county and Mrs. Dollie Waldrop N. M. were absent. Two daughters of Lewis Hayes, deceased were present, Van Gallop and wife and Lee Couch and wife, also Burn Evans and wife. The total number of relatives being 85. Relatives and visitors 130. The last afternoon Rev. Sterling Isham and family visited Bro. Isham made a splendid talk on reunions both here and in the better world. Bonnie Peterson of Mineral Wells and John Manning of Oklahoma made good talks. The reunion was dismissed by prayer by Mr. Will Cox.

CARD OF THANKS

We desire to express our sincere thanks to each and every one who ministered unto us during our sickness and death of our dear sweet little baby. May God richly reward each word of sympathy and deed of kindness and when dark shadows cross our path may you find friends as true as you have been to us.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Johnson are on a visit to Abilene to see their daughter, Mrs. Tom Clements.

The Philadelphia of Our Ancestors



Here is shown a section of "High Street," a reproduction of Philadelphia's famous Market street in the days of 1776. It is one of the outstanding features of the Sesqui-Centennial International Exposition now being held in Philadelphia to commemorate the 150th anniversary of the signing of the Declaration of Independence. Every building has been built to actual size and in actual architectural detail. The furnishings of each building are exact reproductions of those used in the Revolutionary days. Many of the pieces on display are the originals and today are worth thousands of dollars because of their historic value. The Exposition continues until December 1.

PETERSON FAMILY HOLDS REUNION

The Peterson family reunion was held at the home of W. D. Peterson, Saturday August 7th. Several who attended last year were unable to be present this year, however those who were present spent a very pleasant day.

We had quite a feast for dinner and supper, the noon meal was spread on tables arranged in the shade of a large china tree.

Those present were: W. D. Peterson and family, Gustine, Jim Pettit and wife, Troy Pettit and wife of Swan Hill, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Hawkins and daughter, Ruth of Gustine, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Hayes and son, Darrel, and L. L. Peterson and family of Mineral Wells, C. R. Peterson and family of Lamkin, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Hayes of Hazel Dell. There were quite a number of visitors present. Total number including relatives and friends was 50.

Baby Girl Called By The Death Angel

The death angel called for the little baby girl of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Masters Sunday afternoon August 8. She was only 14 days old but her little life had entwined its self around its parents hearts and lives of its parents in such a way that it was so hard to say good bye. The last week of her life was full of suffering, and when we realize that her suffering is over and she has gone to be with our God, we bow in humble submission to Him who doeth all things well. The funeral services were held at the residence Monday at 2 p.m. Rev. O. A. Morton conducted the service. Interment was made in Ever Green Cemetery immediately following the service. The Tribune joins the entire community in sympathy for the bereaved parents.

Joe Odell and family came in Tuesday from Plainview for a visit with relatives and friends.

FORT GRIFFITH SCENE OF ODELL REUNION

The Odell family held their annual reunion Thursday, August 5 and 7 at Old Fort Griffith on the Clear Fork of the Brazos river. Mother and father have been dead for several years but the 11 brothers and sisters keep up the custom of the family reunion. In this way they can have a visit with each other once a year. This would be entirely impossible otherwise. The eleven children with their families present were: Mrs. T. J. Hayes, John Odell, Mrs. Eula Kilman, E. D. Odell, Mrs. Dora Pigg, Raymond Odell, Mrs. T. L. Benson, Sanora, Jess Odell and wife of Dallas and Miss Lee Odell of Throckmorton, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Porter, Oklahoma, Mrs. Don Faulker from the panhandle, and Bart Jones were such a host of relatives and visitors that no attempt was made to estimate the crowd. The three days were spent in various ways. Pleasant conversations, games of different kinds and swimming. All had a wonderful time and will begin looking forward to the 1927 reunion.

BARELY ESCAPES SERIOUS ACCIDENT

Flossie Allen came near having a serious accident last Thursday night at the Hayes Reunion camp.

One day night, while spending the A number of boys and girls were enjoying a horse back ride when for some reason the horse Flossie was riding became frightened and ran, she finally fell and one foot caught in the stirrup, she was dragged some distance and across a bridge when her slipper came off releasing her from the horse. It was indeed fortunate for Flossie that she was wearing a no strap pump,

BOYS RETURN FROM TRAINING

Dale Collins and Argile Everett have returned from the citizens Military Training Camp, Fort Sam Houston located at San Antonio. They were in camps 30 days. This camp consisted of 800 boys, none of whom were supposed to be under 17 years of age but a few under that age were there. They were bunched together and called the "Pewee Squad." The "Pewees" were not forced to carry a pack or gun, shot only 22 rifles, given sweet-milk twice daily and were allowed to ride, Dale said sometimes wished he were in the Pewee squad. The boys report a profitable 30 days, each day being full of interest. They were awakened at 5:40 a. m. by the C. M. T. C. band with only 5 minutes to dress. At the end of the five minutes they fell in line for breakfast at the sound of reveille. The squads took turns sweeping the bunk house. From seven thirty to eleven thirty was spent in military drills which consisted in calisthenics, close order drills, lectures, lessons in shooting and extended order drills. This 4 hours was divided into 50 minute periods with 10 minutes rest after each period. After the lunch hour or chow the boys were free for recreation until 5:30 when supper was served. They were entertained each evening in different ways, sometimes preaching, lectures, dancing or sports. A failure to be in bed by 11 o'clock was punished by the offender being forced to scrub the mess hall, suffice it to say that neither Dale or Argile ever had to scrub.

They went to Camp Bullis one week leaving Monday and returning Thursday. This trip was made in trucks. This trip was made for the purpose of rifle range practice. Our boys were in two practices. Dale made marksmanship the first day which means 56 shots out of 75. The next day he made sharp shooter, which means 63 or up. Argile made marksmanship both days. On Friday after the rifle practice the boys, hicked carrying their packs. They stayed in Pershing field that they might and were entertained by the Elks.

Dale won the championship of company C in boxing and was not eliminated until the finals.

Argile made base ball in company AX.

Dale's company won a loving cup at least 2 1-2 feet in height for being the most progressive company. This included neatness in personal appearance, cleaner bunks, better drills ect.

The boys were given Saturday and Sunday to see the city. They visited several places of interest in the old historic city.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Buzzard of Bryson visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Duke, Saturday night and Sunday.

Mrs. Jessie Banner who is with the Gustine Merchants Mercantile Company had her vacation last week. She and Mr. Banner spent the week camping on the north Leon. They report a good time and plenty of fish.

Other wise she would likely have lost her life. She received a number of bad bruises but no serious injuries.

FREE MELON SLICING AT COMANCHE 4:00 O'CLOCK CHIEF 53rd BIRTHDAY

The Chief will give a prize of \$2.50 for the best and \$1.00 as a second prize for the best basket of fruit displayed at the Chief office next Tuesday at the Birthday Celebration. Each contestant may use their own judgment as the kind of fruits displayed and as to the size of the basket. All fruit must be on exhibit in the Chief office by 2 o'clock. The fruit will be judged both on the quality and the artistic arrangement in the basket.

MRS. ELIZABETH ODELL DIES

We have been made to realize this week that death is no respecter of persons, but all ages are called on to pay the price.

Mrs. Elizabeth Odell passed from this world into a better one, Monday morning August 9. She was born December 3, 1850 near Dalton, Georgia. She was saved and joined the Baptist Church in 1866, for 51 years she lived a christian life attending church as long as she was physically able. She was married to G. R. Pace March 1, 1866. No children were born to this union, but Mrs. Pace had a mother heart, she reared Tom Odell, who now resides at Teague, Texas, as her own, from infancy. One of her brothers said, "she had mothered him since the home going of his companion. It is a consolation to know that though her body lies in the grave, her life lives on in the lives for whom she labored. She leaves a husband and five brothers to mourn her departure. Funeral services were held at Board Church cemetery, Tuesday afternoon, conducted by Rev. W. M. Scott. The relatives from a distance were, T. J. Odell and wife and Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Carlile, Teague, Texas, Joe Odell and family from Plainview, Homer Odell and son from Throckmorton came too late for the funeral.

The Comanche Chief

One of the biggest crowds that has assembled in Comanche in many a moon is expected here August 17, when thousands of people from all parts of the county and even remote parts of the State, will assemble to celebrate the Fifty Third Birthday of the Comanche Chief with a big watermelon slicing and grape festival. All the merchants and citizens of the town are co-operating to make this the biggest event of the year. Last year it was said that fully five thousand people attended, but that crowd will look small in comparison with the vast throng that is expected next Tuesday, when the program starts promptly at 2 o'clock.

The preparations have been completed. A ton of grapes and 550 watermelons are now on ice and the committee assures the people that not a person will go away unfed. Thirty two beautiful Comanche County girls will serve the grapes, while representative business men will slice the melons. While the occasion is the Chief's birthday, all Comanche joins in the welcome.

The program will start with a bang. The first number will be a half hour concert by the band, under the direction of their new leader, Mr. Smith. At 2:30 the Rev. Boyd of Fort Worth will deliver an address. This will be followed by a half hour of candidate speaking, when the county candidates and Judge Davenport and Judge Hickman will be invited to speak. The invitation is wide open and neither Ma or Dan will be barred from talking if they wish to come and limit their speeches to ten minutes. Following this County Agent Barton will announce the winner of the prizes offered by the Chief for the best basket of fruit exhibited. What ever time that remains before the big feast begins promptly at four will be given over to speech making by prominent visitors and local citizens.

The melons will be sliced and the grapes served on the Court House Lawn. Don't forget the time. The program will start promptly at 2:00 and the feast at 4:00.

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Mr. Dave Tally, who has been visiting relatives here and also at Abilene, left for his work in Tyler last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Rosco King from Oklahoma arrived Sunday at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Dooley.

Grandfather Truett of Lamkin had a serious attack of heart trouble Saturday afternoon, but is doing fairly well so far.

Several from here attended the Hico Reunion, Thursday, Friday and Saturday, all reporting a good time.

Ben Wall, who has been working at Amarillo, returned home Friday.

Mr. J. H. Lee has sold his farm to Mr. Hill of Corsicana.

Mrs. C. L. Purcell of Stamford is visiting in the home of J. L. Tally.

Sunday night the cars of Ben Wall and J. H. Glover collided as they met at Kemp's garage. J. H. was coming down the hill by M. E. Church at a rather high speed and at the same time Ben Wall was coming in an opposite direction. Ben was driving in to get some oil when J. H. hit him. Both of the cars bent up considerably, but the boys escaped uninjured.

Mrs. Ed. Howard of Los Angeles California, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Glasgow, arrived here Sunday afternoon.

Carl Brandt, who has been in training camp at San Antonio has returned home.

R. E. Daniel and family and Mr. and Mrs. Riley Vick of Hamilton left Monday morning for Roswell, N. M. where they will visit their daughter and sister, Mrs. Luther Buchanan.

Misses Letha Mimms, Minta Cain and Janita Arnett motored to Hamilton Friday afternoon.

Wilks Glasgo is still improving, but will not be able to be home for some time yet.

Grandmother Belsher is still in the sanitarium at Hamilton, improving very slowly.

Mr. Walker from Stamford is visiting in the home of J. J. Cautrell.

W. T. Daniel and wife have moved back to Lamkin from Dallas where they have lived for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Talley went to Meridian Sunday to see her sister, Mrs. Sam Cooper who has been sick for some time.

Walter Woolley and wife of Gustine attended Sunday school here Sunday.

Miss Norma Brittan of Fort Worth is a visitor of Mr. O. D. Brittan and family.

The Lamkin ball boys went to Carlton Wednesday playing a game of 7 to 1 in favor of Lamkin of which we were very proud.

The Methodist meeting begins here Sunday August 15th with Bro. Adams of Hamilton assisting the Pastor, Rev. Hester.

Mrs. J. S. Ewell has returned home from a visit with relatives in Dallas and Houston.

Hanford McCarty, formerly of this place but now living in Brownwood came back on a vacation Saturday.

HAZELL DALE

Mrs. T. Bellnap of Cisco is visiting A. L. Westfall this week.

Miss Winnie and Verna Richey and some of their friends from near Dublin spent Friday on the Leon river fishing and enjoying a good time.

Mrs. E. H. McCarty is on the sick list this week.

Mr. H. C. Applewhite and family visited Mrs. Applewhite's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Doc McDonald one day last week.

Mr. Homer Bumgarner and wife visited in the home of R. T. Miller Thursday.

Elmo and E. C. Estes were in

our midst Thursday afternoon.

A. L. Westfall was in Dublin Thursday.

V. A. Miller visited home folks one day last week.

Earl Richey visited his uncle, R. T. Miller a part of last week.

C. L. Miller was in Gustine Thursday afternoon.

Mr. H. C. Applewhite and family visited Mrs. J. W. Applewhite of Gustine Thursday.

Miss Katherine Richey was in our community Sunday.

Mr. Wiley Conway spent last week end in Comanche.

Mr. G. D. Haggard and J. M. Houghs had business in Gustine one day last week.

Mr. Tom Conway of Gustine visited his sister, Reuben McCampbell.

Mr. Arthur Hillhouse was in Dublin one day last week.

Fleming

Mr. and Mrs. Sid Green and family and Miss Opal Carpenter from Headrick, Oklahoma are visiting their brother, Mr. Edd Fisher and family.

Misses Opal Carpenter, Nona McGalliard, and Myrtle Fisher spent Saturday with Miss Veda and Vina Tuttle.

Miss Opal Harris spent Saturday night with Miss Nona McGalliard.

Misses Veda Tuttle, Eula and Eunice Hillhouse and brothers spent Saturday night with Miss Myrtle Fisher.

Several from the Mackville community and Mr. Liston Wiggins from the Wilson community attended the basket picnic on the South Leon, given by Mr. Edd Fisher.

Mr. and Mrs. O. S. Green were the guest of Mr. and Mrs. B. S. Rambo Saturday night.

Harley H. Williford spent from Sunday until Tuesday with his brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Williford.

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Fisher visited Mr. and Mrs. B. S. Rambo Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Estes entertained the young folks with a party Saturday night.

Miss Eunice Hillhouse spent from Sunday until Tuesday with her niece, Miss Myrtle Fisher.

Several from this community have been attending church at Swan Hill.

Miss Vina Tuttle spent Thursday with Ethel Burks.

What Makes a Good Town Good

You can talk all you know of th' city's white glow.

And its' wealth you'd increase if you could;

You kin boast of the sums when the next census comes,

But that don't make a good town good.

Yer town may have folks that history yokes,

With others in this year's "Who's who";

But no matter what fame hangs on to yer name,

There's guys that er bigger'n you

No it aint just th' name ner the size wealth er fame,

That develops a good neighbor hood;

Its' th' heart, soul and mind of men brave, true and kind,

Thats' what makes a good town good.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Odell of Dallas visited relatives here last week end.

Miss Mattie Zoe Kee of Fort Worth, visited her mother, Mrs. J. C. Kee Saturday night and Sunday.

John Banner and family left Monday for Snyder where they will visit relatives for a few days.

RETURNS FROM HOME ECONOMICS SHORT COURSE

Mrs. Rowland Miller has returned from Fort Worth where she attended a short course in Home Economics. This course in compares in agriculture that the farmers get at A and M. College. Mrs. Miller comes back full of enthusiasm, having gotten some valuable help on the work that she will teach this winter. She is planning to take another course in September. We are indeed fortunate to have Mrs. Miller as a member of our faculty. She jokingly said that this short course closed with a real style show.

Students Return From Howard Payne

The Howard Payne College summer school is over and the following students have returned home. Edd Elms, Lottie Everett, Ruby and Arthur Adcock, Nolan and Bonnie Boyd, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Boyd, Mrs. Willie Little, Arlena Perkins from the Swan Hill community and Bonnie Belle Moore who now lives near Carlton. Some will make preparations to return in September, others will take up their work as public school teachers. Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Boyd will teach in the Peacock school, Stonewall county. Miss Bonnie Moore will be one of the Lamkin teachers, Miss Lottie Everett will teach her second term in the Hasse school. Mrs. Little and Miss Ruby Adcock will get their degree from Howard Payne College next spring.

Mrs. Julia Bumgarner of San Antonio is visiting her mother, Mrs. M. C. Rodgers and other relatives this week.

Mrs. H. H. Duke returned last week from a visit in Fort Worth, Wichita Falls and Iowa Park. Her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Fooshee of Fort Worth returned with her and made a short visit.

Miss Annie Laurie and Cloudah Duke left Monday morning for a visit in Galveston.

Dean Culp and wife of Louisiana are spending a while with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Culp.

T. B. Seago and sons, Coem and Bennie left for a trip to the coast.

BEATTIE

Aug 10—Mr. Clyde Brown of McCauley is visiting relatives here this week.

Mr. Ben Keith and family left Sunday for West Texas where they will spend their vacation.

Mr. John Stephenson who has been working at Pioneer was at home Sunday.

Mr. King Bingham and family and Dad Henry Bingham of West, Texas are visiting home folks this week.

Miss Cora Lee White of near Cross Plains is visiting Miss Jewell Halbrooks this week.

Mr. Dan Bingham and family left Monday for the Clear Forks to fish a while.

BIBB

Aug. 9—Mr. Creatham and sons, John, Gus, Edward, and Neal have gone to the Valley to pick cotton.

Mrs. Jewell Drennon's grandfather Mr. Handcock, spent last week with her.

Mrs. Cheatham was seriously hurt in a car accident July 30, on the highway four miles west of Putnam.

Mr. Homer Coker who is at work at Pioneer spent the week end with home folks.

Uncle Johnnie Groves has been visiting Elbert Kilgore and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Haynes are here from Dallas visiting a while with his mother.

H. L. GANTZ IS HONORED AT SHORT COURSE

Supt. H. L. Gantz was elected chairman by the county superintendents of Texas at their annual conference at A. & M. college for the ensuing term. He now has the honor of being chairman of the county superintendents section of the State Teachers Association which meets in El Paso next November.

Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Palmer visited Mrs. Palmer's sister, Miss Lucy Adelia Naylor in Blackmans Sanitarium at Gorman, last Sunday. Miss Naylor underwent a successful operation for appendicitis last week.

Mrs. H. H. Duke had as her guest last Sunday, her niece, Mrs. Glen Rodgers of Stephenville.

VANDYKE

Aug 10—The two churches and the school and several homes in this community are anticipating getting natural gas.

Walter Grigsby and family returned home last week after an extended visit with relatives in West Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Frost of Ranger visited in the home of his mother, Mrs. N. V. Frost.

Mr. and Mrs. Ollie McDaniel of Ft. Worth visited in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. S. McDaniel.

Mrs. Hutto of Comanche is spending a fortnight in the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. S. McDaniel.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Emmett Jr. and little son of Hamilton visited Mrs. Emmerts mother, Mrs. J. C. Kee last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Koen of Hamilton visited Mrs. Koen's sister, Mrs. E. T. Hughs last Sunday.

C. T. McDonald, wife and mother, Mrs. Doc McDonald, visited relatives in Breckenridge this week.

Mr. Johnnie Wyatt of Edna Hill was a Gustine visitor Monday.

Comanche County FAIR

Fair Notes By Secretary

All over Texas they are preparing for fairs. Comanche county expects to be right along with the best of them when the fairs are held.

C. B. Williams of the Fairview community has some fine maize from which he expects to select a good exhibit for the fair. Mr. Williams is also raising some fine watermelons as well as maize. He brought a 57 pound melon to town Tuesday.

Perry Mayes of the Proctor country is thinking of bringing a farm wagon of exhibits to the fair. It's wonderful what a variety of fine products can be assembled on a farm wagon from one Comanche county farm.

Let's have a big entertainment program at the fair that will interest all Comanche county, and in which a large part of Comanche county will participate.

From many sources we are hearing of fine peaches that will probably be prepared for exhibition at the fair. If it goes on like it has started it will be a peach of a display as well as a display of peaches.

J. A. Jones of Indian Creek has been speaking to some of his neighbors about a community exhibit at the fair. That community can get up a fine exhibit, and we believe they will do it.

Some writer recently said: "Let's have more sports. It will take a long time to solve all our problems, but we can have a good time as we go along." Some good stunts at the fair will help us to have a good time, there.

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KEEN INTEREST SHOWN IN COUNTY EXHIBITS FOR 1926 STATE FAIR

With enthusiasm already at high pitch as a result of the various activities toward agricultural effort in Texas, keenest interest is manifest in the \$10,000 cumulative premium over a five-year period, offered by the State Fair of Texas, according to J. A. Moore, superintendent of the State Fair agricultural department.

Mr. Moore is convinced that at least sixty Texas counties will enter the State Fair contest, and declares that every section of the state will be represented. This conviction was expressed after visits in East, West, and North Texas counties, following announcement of the county contest.

"County exhibits at the 1926 State Fair," Mr. Moore said, "should prove revelations in every particular. Interest is the keenest I have ever seen it. Those interested in showing the advantages of their several localities, are already diligently at work gathering every variety of grown product to be placed in the various county exhibits. They are carefully considering the requirements of the score cards and selecting their exhibits accordingly, and in the work of preparing exhibits the matter of attractiveness is also entering to a greater degree than ever before. Even to those who do not appreciate agricultural versatility, the exhibits will prove of paramount interest from an artistic standpoint."

Numbers of counties, Mr. Moore says, are planning "county days" at the State Fair, upon which large delegations will come in and by their numbers and enthusiasm, direct attention to the county exhibit in which they are particularly interested.

STATE FAIR MEETING

FOR C. OF C. MEN
Saturday, Oct. 16, will be Commercial Executives' Day at the 1926 State Fair of Texas.

According to announcement by John Boswell, of the Southwestern Development Department, Dallas Chamber of Commerce, arrangements have been completed, and a large attendance is expected.

The commercial executives are those hustling, enterprising, efficient folk, connected with various chambers of commerce throughout the state, who are constantly striving to bring to the attention of the people outside, the advantages to be found in the several sections of Texas.

Entertainment plans anticipate a luncheon for the visiting secretaries, when the Dallas Chamber of Commerce will be host. Of course a visit to the State Fair is on the program—it wouldn't be complete otherwise.

It is expected that the next meeting place of the Commercial Executives Association will be decided at the State Fair gathering.

FRIO COUNTY TO SHOW

PRODUCTS AT STATE FAIR

News from Pearsall and Dillie, in Frio County, is that the Chambers of Commerce in both those hustling towns, are hard at work, in co-operation with business men, property owners and realty people, on plans for an extensive county exhibit at the 1926 State Fair of Texas, Dallas, Oct. 9-24. Dudley F. Bredthauer is making a thorough canvass of the county in the effort to obtain the choicest products to be displayed in the Frio county exhibit.

SPECIAL FAIR DAY FOR

ORDER OF RED MEN

Members of the Order of Red Men are to have a special day at the 1926 State Fair of Texas. S. C. Mansfield, secretary of Oneta Tribe, No. 49, of Dallas, has made request for the designation of Tuesday, Oct. 12 as Red Men's Day, and the calendar has been so marked by Secretary W. H. Stratton of the Fair Association. Tuesday, Oct. 12 is also Dallas Day at the 1926 State Fair.

FRANKLIN COUNTY WILL SEND YOUNG FARMERS TO 1926 STATE FAIR

Four hundred boys and girls from Franklin county—members of the county agricultural clubs working under the extension department of A. & M. College—attended the State Fair of Texas in 1925 on "Franklin County Day."

There'll be a thousand of them this year.

That's the advice from W. D. Seale, county agricultural agent of Franklin county, who has written Secretary W. H. Stratton of the Fair association, asking whether the thousand youngsters can be accommodated.

Mr. Stratton has replied that they can, and they'll be at the Fair on Friday and Saturday, Oct. 15 and 16. Those dates follow the close of the regular boys' club encampment on Oct. 14.

Franklin county merchants and business men, appreciating both the educational advantages of the State Fair, and that the farm boys and girls of today are the prosperous agriculturists and producers of tomorrow, inaugurated the State Fair trip last year, as a part of their program of keeping in close touch with the embryo farm owners and operators.

It is expected that other counties will emulate the example of Franklin county.

County Agent Seale also advised Secretary Stratton that Franklin county will have a fine county exhibit, which will be entered in the contest for the \$10,000 premiums offered by the Fair for the best ten exhibits as the result of scoring extending over a period of five years.

FREE BAND CONCERTS STATE FAIR FEATURE

Free concerts in the great Auditorium by A. F. Thaviu's "Exposition Band" are to be features at the 1926 State Fair of Texas, Dallas, Oct. 9-24.

On two afternoons each week, the concert will be given in addition to excerpts from the well known operas. On such days a nominal admission fee is to be charged. The band concerts alone, however, will be absolutely free.

According to the schedule, the free concerts will be given in the morning on days when there are to be matinee performances of "Princess Flavia." On non-matinee days—Mondays, Tuesdays and Fridays—the band will be heard in the afternoon. Morning hours will be from 11 to 12:30 o'clock, and afternoons from 2 until 3:30.

Thaviu's organization will come to the State Fair following engagements at the Sesqui-centennial Exposition, Philadelphia, and the famous Steel Pier at Atlantic City. In the personnel of the band and singers who are to offer the grand opera excerpts, there are artists and soloists of international reputation.

TEXAS RANKS FIRST IN PRODUCTION OF WOOL

Texas, with a production of 25,893,000 pounds, ranked first among the wool producing states of the nation in figures estimating the 1926 crop, as announced by a Salt Lake City statistician. Utah was second and Montana third, with Utah's increase the greatest, figuring at more than 2,000,000 pounds over the showing of last year. Some conception of Texas' rank as a sheep growing and wool producing state, may be had from the exhibits in the sheep and goat department at the State Fair of Texas. J. M. Jones is superintendent, and A. K. Mackey of College Station, assistant in this department. Judging will take place on Tuesday, Oct. 12.

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CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS

METHODIST CHURCH

Sunday School each Sunday at 10:00 a. m., G. B. Neel, Supt.
Preaching each Sunday at 11:00 a. m. and 7:00 p. m., O. A. Morton, Pastor.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Sunday School every Sunday at 10:00 a. m., N. E. Palmer, Supt.
Preaching first and third Sundays of each month at 11:00 a. m. and 7:00 p. m., Rev. W. M. Scott, Pastor.

Sunday School Attendance Last Sunday

Methodist	63
First Baptist	80
Second Baptist	34

BAGGETT CHURCH

Sunday School attendance 105

CHURCH of CHRIST

Attendance, Bible Study 69

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MANY REVIVALS BEING HELD IN COUNTY

HASSE

The Baptist revival at Hasse has been in progress all week and is expected to close with the service Sunday evening. The Rev. William Scott of Brownwood is doing the preaching and the singing is being led by W. D. Sturkey.

HARMONY

The annual revival at the Methodist church at Harmony will begin the fourth Sunday in August at 11 o'clock. Rev. J. L. Ray, the pastor, will have charge of the services.

VANDYKE

The Free Will Baptist meeting will begin at Vandyke, Friday night, August 13. According to C. C. Bower all preparations have been made and great things are expected. The church extends a hearty welcome to all who will come and take part in the meeting.

The Baptists closed a most successful meeting at Vandyke last Sunday evening. According to reports almost the whole community was reached. There were twenty-five conversions and seventeen additions to the church. Rev. Z. E. Parker, assisted by the pastor, Rev. Cox of Brownwood, did the preaching. The church is thinking seriously of calling the pastor for half time.

LOGAN'S GAP

A revival meeting began Sunday at Logan's Gap, being conducted by Rev. E. B. Garrett. The meeting will close Sunday. The subject for the morning sermon will be, "If a Christian, why not a Baptist?" and the subject for the closing sermon that night is, "Building for Eternity."

CUNNINGHAM REUNION SET FOR AUG. 15 AND 16

Sunday and Monday August 15, and 16 is the date set for the Cunningham reunion. This is the oldest union in the county and draws annually hundreds of kinsmen and relatives from all parts of the state. It is the request of Capt. James Cunningham, pioneer citizen of the county, that such a gathering of the kinsmen should be held annually and that nothing should stand in its

COMANCHE BOY WINS HONORS AT A. M. COLLEGE

C. M. Carraway, Jr., of Comyn proved he is of all-state calibre, again last week when he won second place in poultry judging in the contest for the boys club at the A. & M. Short Course. It will be remembered that he won first place on his baby beef at the Fort Worth Stock Show. He received a silver medal from A. & M. in recognition of his ability. Frank Bellem of Ellis county won first and the gold medal.

C. M. is a very versatile young man and limits his talents to no particular field. Three years ago he won a free trip to the short course for making the highest record in the county contest in stock judging. Being in this event the following year he entered the field crop contest and was again successful in winning first place and a free trip. This year being disqualified in both the former events, he entered poultry judging ineligible in this the next year the county, but second place in the entire state.

C. M. is a very promising youth and should make his mark in the world.

RESOLUTIONS

We, the County Superintendents of Schools of Texas, in annual meeting assembled at College Station, Texas, August 2-6, 1926.

1. Respectfully urge that the State Teachers' Association immediately use every influence available to secure the incorporation of a strong educational plank in the platform of the State Democratic Party at its meeting in San Antonio on September 7th. Such plank to demand that the party pledge itself to stop doing patchwork and instead effect a complete reorganization of our rural school system of schools as recommended by the Texas Educational Commission and the Legislative Committee of the Education Survey Commission.

This meeting believes that the surer road toward the realization of this or any educational program is through the securing of the adoption of such plank by the state Democratic Party.

2. We endorse the program of the Texas Education Commission and that outlined by the Legislative Committee of the Educational Survey Commission and we urgently request the 40th Legislature to enact such laws as are needed to carry out these recommendations.

3. We, as representatives of the 700,000 rural school children of Texas, respectfully urge and petition the Governor of our great and wealthy State, to submit to the called session of the Legislature the question of an apportionment for schools to increase the per capita from \$12.00 to \$15.00 so that the relief which is so necessary may come from the session 1926-27.

4. Resolved, that the present law governing Teachers' Institutes be repealed and in lieu of the Institute that a law be passed by the 40th Legislature requiring teachers' contracts to contain a provision that the teacher is under obligation to attend County faculty meetings of not more than FIVE days during each year. Said meetings to be held at the discretion of the county superintendent and in such manner as to serve the best interest of the county.

5. That we urge each school official in Texas and others interested in the school activities of our State to assist in obtaining memberships in the State Teachers' Association and National Education Association.

6. That a copy of these resolutions be forwarded to each County Superintendent and ex-officio Superintendent in Texas with request that he have same published in the papers of his county and being further requested that these resolutions be submitted to local school trustees and county boards of trustees for their action thereupon.

Signed;

H. L. GANTZ, Comanche Co.
BURL BRYANT, Wichita Co.
M. H. WEINERT, Gaudrege Co.
IRMA F. STOKES, Morris Co.
MRS. GEO. R. FLETCHER, Travis County Committee.

Dirt, iron, wood, stone, brick and mortar never build a city. They have to be mixed with humane pep, brains, muscles, and ever-lasting co-operation.

MRS. HARWOOD WHITE DIES IN CALIFORNIA

The sad news was received here Wednesday afternoon August 4 of the death of Mrs. Harwood White, Visalia, California. Mrs. White will be remembered as Miss Vada Wright, granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Harrison, with whom she has made her home since the death of her mother in 1913, her father having died when she was only a baby. She was saved and joined the First Baptist church in 1918. Since that time she has lived a devoted christian life. She was teaching a Sunday School class of small girls when she moved from this place. She was married to Harwood White November the 5, 1924 and they left immediately for California. Mrs. White was called away in the very prime of life. She would have been 23 years of age the 27 of this month. She was sick a few days, took her bed Sunday night and died the next Wednesday morning at 11:30. Her condition was not considered serious until Tuesday afternoon when she became delirious. Her husband's aunt, Mrs. Shelby Smith writes that she was a lovable character, an ideal mother. Nothing gave her more pleasure than attending church and Sunday school. Tuesday night and Wednesday before she passed away, she sang the chorous of "All the way to Calvary Jesus Went for Me." She leaves a husband a sweet little baby girl not yet a year old, grand parents and a one sister a host of other relatives to mourn her going away. Her loved ones can be consoled by the fact that she is now resting from her labors and her life of usefulness will live on and bless other lives. The Tribune joins her many friends in love and sympathy.

Local News Items

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Robinson, Mrs. J. E. Palmer and daughter, Miss Eva and grandmother Ruggles left last Tuesday morning for New Mexico to attend the Selman family reunion. They expect to be gone about 10 days.

Mr. George Neel and son, Kermit, Hayes Franks and A. D. Pettit Jr. went to Stephenville Monday to make arrangements for the boys to enter John Tarlton College in the beginning of the fall term. Satisfactory arrangements were made in each case. Hayes Franks has work on the experiment farm. The work will be helpful and lighten expenses at the same time, we are always glad to know of any boy or girl who is ambitious enough to make sufficient effort to go away to school.

Mrs. Nannie Haggard and Miss Leona Edmondson have returned from a two weeks visit in Fort Worth and Spring Creek.

Mrs. R. H. Ashmore and daughter, Miss Helma, were over from Brownwood last Tuesday.

Miss Allie Mae Williams has come home from Howard Payne where she has been attending summer school.

Misses Rachel and Lillian McKinney were Brownwood visitors last week. They both contracted for positions in schools near Brownwood.

George and Prentis McClellan of Brownwood visited their uncle

L. F. McClellan the first part of the week.

G. J. Mathews and family, Mrs. N. W. Hayes and daughter, Miss Una left Sunday morning for a visit in the west.

Misses Mamie and Eva Long from near Comanche and Clay Montgomery of Ozona visited in Gustine.

M. A. Renfro and family of Arkansas are visiting around Gustine this week.

Henry Cryer and Clyde Brown of Goldwaite were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Grayson last Tuesday.

Mrs. Lanora Parker and son, Tom Jack went to Lampassas last Friday where they met friends from Georgetown for a week end visit.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. T. N. Carter will fill the pulpit of the first Baptist Church next Sunday, August 15.

D. E. Renfro and family of Brownwood are visiting relatives in Gustine this week.

Doris Scott of Brownwood is spending a few days as the guest of Fay Allen.

Energy

The Methodist revival has been going on this week. Rev. O. A. Morton of Gustine is doing the preaching and Luke McGlothlin of this place, leading the singing.

Mrs. Jim McPherson and children have returned from West Texas, where they have been visiting.

Annie Belle McDonald of Mackville spent this week with Vera J. F. Williams and wife visited John Wyatt and family of Edna Hill Thursday.

Travis and Albaree Handcaker of Alberanthy visited Joe and Mila Mae Middleton last Sunday night and Monday.

Meta Ewing of Proctor has been visiting Jim Tremble and wife.

Mrs. Wassie Austin and little daughter, Katherine of Hamilton spent Friday night with her sister, Mrs. Jim McPherson.

Grace Wilkins of Mountain View and Murrel Hitt of Pottsville, visited their aunt, Mrs. Dick Moore, Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Strickland and children of the Mackville community have been visiting friends here this week, and attending the meeting.

Sam Boydston and family and Mrs. Bennie Boydston left Friday for Dallas to visit relatives.

Don Miller and family are visiting at Fort Worth this week.

Rob McDonald and family of Mackville attended church here Friday night.

Grace Wilkins, Alice McPherson and Murrel Hitt visited Ruby Middleton Tuesday afternoon.

J. K. Thompson and children Mary, Ewell and May are visiting relatives at Fort Worth this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Less Wilson and children of Maxville spent Sunday afternoon in the home of C. R. Middleton.

Chester Williams, Coney McDonald and Joe Middleton were Gatesville visitors Saturday night.

Overton Brannan spent Saturday night with Barton McPherson.

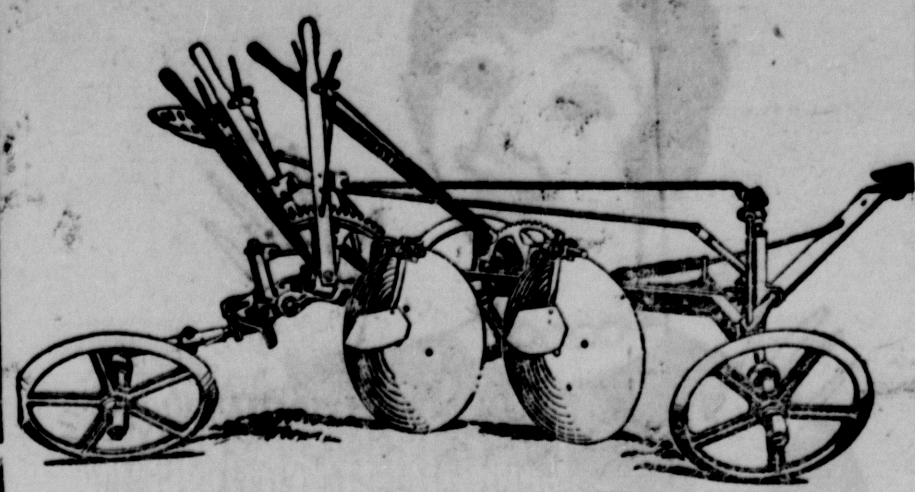
Cliff Tremble of Pottsville visited Luke McGlothlin and wife Sunday.

Luther Woosley and wife left where they will make their home. Cecil McPherson and Welburn Baskin spent Friday night with Claude McPherson.

Miss Ruby Middleton is spending a few days with Mrs. Less Wilson at Mackville.

Several from this place attended the baptising near Swan Hill Sunday afternoon.

Mr. Farmer



Since you have just harvested the best grain crop you have made since 1919, it should cause you to want to sow grain again this fall. And if you will not that the man that broke his land last summer and planted in the fall made the best grain. The fall oats was a long way better than the spring oats generally speaking. So we are prepared to take care of your needs in the way of breaking plows. We have in stock the moldboard or sulkey plows, and the disc breaking plows. And should you want a plow now, we can arrange to take care of that for you until this fall. So don't delay your plowing on that account.

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